THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Selection of aircraft/engines are based on techno-economic evaluation of offers received from different aircraft and engine manufacturers.

Complaints against AI's new purchase deal

880. SHRI K. RAMA MOHAMA RAO: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Airbus Industries has complained of fishy twist to AI deal in its new purchase bids;

(b) if so, the details of complaints received; and

(c) the action taken to ensure impartiality in AI deals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) No such complaint has been received by the Government.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) All decisions are taken in accordance with established procedures.

Evaluation procedure in aircraft purchase

881. SHRI PRAFUL PATEL:
DR. VIJAY MALLYA:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Indian Airlines propose to purchase new passenger aircraft;

(b) if so, which make/model of aircraft is proposed to be purchased;

(c) what has been the evaluation procedure prior to deciding on the make/model of the aircraft proposed to be purchased;

(d) what are the type of engines proposed to be purchased along with such aircraft; and